Georgia Board of Health Care Workforce





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Teleconference Minutes Georgia Board of Health Care Workforce Thursday, May 19, 2020

The meeting was called to order by Dr. Rios, Chairman, at 8:02 a.m. with the following members present:

Terri McFadden-Garden, M.D. Scott Bohlke, M.D. Indran Indrakishnan, M.D. James Barber, M.D. John Delzell, M.D. David Kay, M.D. Steven Gautney, MHA Doug Skelton, M.D. Will Kemp, Business Member Georgia McCluskey, M.D.

Staff Present

LaSharn Hughes, Executive Director Freeman Montaque, Budget Manager

Budget

The Board has been asked by the Governor's Office of Planning and Budget to cut the FY21 budget by 14%. Mr. Montaque presented the proposed budget cuts. After a lengthy discussion, motion Dr. Skelton to take the budget cuts across the board for all programs. The motion failed for a lack of a second. Motion Dr. Barber, seconded by Dr. McFadden, to accept the attached version of the Budget. Motion carried with Dr. Skelton and Dr. Kay opposing.

Scholarship Deferral

Dr. Josephine Pearson asked the Board for a deferment of her scholarship repayment due to COVID-19. Motion Dr. Kay, seconded Dr. Barber and motion carried, to allow her a three-month deferment.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:35 a.m.

Attachment: Proposed 14% budget cuts.

Recorded by: Lasharn Hughes, Executive Director